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Many thanks for your recent letter received through the courtesy of Dr. Langer. My delay in acknowledging it, however, does not reflect my appreciation for your views on the present situation which were read and discussed with interest. I am deeply grateful for your continuing interest in the vital work of this Agency.

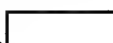
With all best wishes for the New Year,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Walter B. Smith".

Walter B. Smith
Director

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